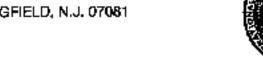


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Dear Mr. Walker:

This letter is in response to the Commission's preliminary review pertaining to the above referenced report, specifically Don Payne for Congress. Attached, please find letter sent to Congressman Payne's campaign detailing your findings.

A refund in the amount of \$650.00 has been requested by our Political Action Committee. As always, please feel free to contact me with any questions and as soon as we receive a response from the Payne Campaign you will be notified.

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